

### PRESIDENT- LANCE DUNBAR-AL7BK-337-6297 CLUB PHONE: 345-0719

OCT. 1985

# "EVENTS"



October 4 General Meeting 7:00 p.m. Lucy Cuddy Center - ACC

October 9 Board Meeting 7:00 p.m. Bering St.

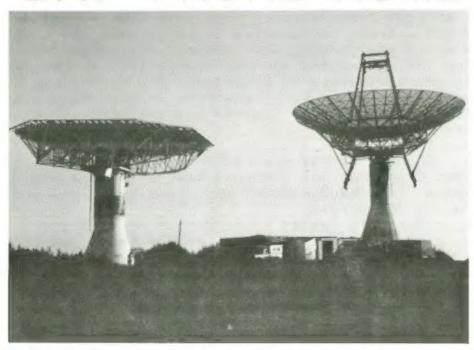
Oct.19, 20 S. E. T. Meeting

October 24 V. E. C. Testing Gladys Wood School

(Call Roger or Lance for confirmation)

October 26 P.A.R.K.A. Meeting

# E.T. PHONE HOME



NO, IT'S NOT E.T.'S SPACESHIP. IT'S A BIG 60' DISH, STEVE TOLLEY WAS GIVEN! HE'S MOVING IT FROM HOMER, AK. TO THE MAT VALLEY, FOR AMATEUR RADIO USE! GREAT IDEA, STEVE!

EDITOR: BONNIE JENNINGS-NLZDF 243-1146 8035 LLOYD DR ANCHORAGE, ALASKA 99502



Whew!!! The Flea Market is over for this year. and appears to have been a success. Preliminary figures show that we made a profit!! Somewhere between 4 and 5 grand.

The 14th Annual Flea Market was successful because of the efforts expended by those dedicated individuals who accepted the responsibilities of the tasks for which they volunteered, and then went ahead and did what had to be done. Thank you all, and especially Lil Marvin, NL7DL, who chaired the whole thing, and Rick Marvin, KL7YF, for assisting and supporting Lil. A complete report will be made as soon as all the figures have been tabulated.

During the Flea Market, the Club received a very generous donation of a "cherry" Heathkit HW-8 tranceiver and VFO which will be made available for use by Club members.

The Fiea Market banquet was held on Saturday night, with all ticketholders converging on the Hofbrau restaurant for before-dinner cocktails and eyeball QSO's. The food was outstanding, the atmosphere relaxing, and the entertainment provided by Tim Pettis on his "squeeze box" very enjoyable. Mary Lewis W7QGP, ARRL Northwest Division Director, was the guest speaker. The door prize, an Icom 2AT was won by Tim Pettis, KL7WE. The banquet was well worth the \$17 price. We have already booked the Hofbrau for next year's banquet.

The 147.90/30 repeater has had its PA board replaced, thanks to Doug Dickinson, KL7IKX, and others, who braved the rotten weather at Site Summit. Reports have been received that it can now be heard where it never has been before, and even pegs the meter at Del and Rosemary Hanrath's QTH at Montana Creek. The new DB-224 antenna is reported to be holding its own, also.

We are still looking for someone interested in taking the position of HF editor for the newsletter. Anyone interested in writing articles about HF happenings and events can contact me. It would be nice to have something in the newsletter about the upcoming CQ Worldwide DX contest and the ARRL Sweepstakes. Any volunteers??

News Flash!!! The club now has a "semi-permanent" storage locker. Thanks to the generosity of Chuck Igou, vice president of Hayden Electric, the club has been given the use of some of the space in the Greatland Appliance building. Contact Lil or Rick Marvin for access.

Volunteers are needed to refurbish or completely remake most of the club's display signs, etc., which have been water damaged. If you have the time and are somewhat artistically inclined, or just willing to help, give me a call.

Another News Flash!!! Daniel Stevens, KL7WM, reports that the Field Day trophy has finally been presented to the KL6 club in Juneau. We hope to have it on video tape for showing at a meeting in the near future.

General club meetings for the winter months will be held at the Lucy Cuddy Center on the ACC campus.

I think that's enough chatter from me for this month. See you at the October meeting on the 4th.

73, Lones

# ANCHORAGE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB, INC. Minutes of general club meeting, September 6, 1985 Lucy Cuddy Center, Anchorage Community College Campus

The meeting was called to order at 7:16 pm AKDT by President Lance Dunbar AL7BK. Introductions were held; there were 54 people present.

Lance opened the meeting with a little information on the DX status of the **Pribilof Islands**. The ARRL Board of Directors had tabled further action on the proposal in their recent summer meeting; however, we understand that (hopefully) final action will be taken on the issue in January.

ARRL Section Manager David Stevens KL7EB presented Douglas Dickinson KL7IKX with an ARRL Official Observer appointment certificate.

Bob McKinnie spoke on the ACC Arts Fair. Bob said that it appeared there would be plenty of help; however, he was in need of another 2-meter base station for our operations.

J. D. Delancy K1ZAT/NL7 gave the September rendition of the AARC Membership Rpeort. J. D.'s records show that we currently have 369 club members, 142 of which are Life Members. Of these 369 club members, 245 also belong to the ARRL. 38 of the ARRL members are "League Lifers." 66.4% of our club members are members of the American Radio Relay League.

Lance mentioned that the club was in need of 2 or 3 more control operators for the 34/94 repeater. Bill Reiter KL7ITI, the Club Trustee, informed us that he recently had been contacted by a sufficient number of volunteers, so it appears we have overcome this crisis.

Past President Daniel Stevens KL7WM told us that the plaque for the Juneau ARC will be presented to that august organization shortly by ARRL Division Director Mary Lewis W7QGP. Daniel explained that the plaque is a rather ornate token of our esteem for our brothers and sisters to the south, due in large part to the essays and creativity of one each Bill Balzarini KL7BB.

Lil Marvin NL7DL captivated the audience with everyone's favorite subject -- Flea Market 1985. This year's extravaganza will be held at what used to be Greatland Appliance, 4109 Old Seward Highway. Lil went over the working positions that had been filled, and those that were still vacant. Club members were asked to bring either popcorn or baked goods to the Flea Market. Lance entreated all of us to hit our employers up for class door prizes.

Wilse G. "The Living Legend" Morgan KL7CQ offered his comments on this year's Flea Market. It is obvious that a lot of hard work has already been devoted to making our annual major event a success, but we mustn't slack off in this final week of preparation. By "paying attention to details," we can once again pull off a spectacular Flea Market, and march on to glorious victory! I couldn't have said it better myself!

Art Taylor KL7SK is the **Flea Market Raffle** Chairperson, and he mentioned that as of the date of the September club meeting, we had only received enough money from ticket sales to pay for the first prize. So we were all encouraged to pull out the stops and get the tickets sold.

The Fles Market Banquet will be at the Haufbrau in the Penney's Mall the Saturday evening of Flea Market Weekend (September 14). Tickets are \$17 per, and Mary Laws NL7DM worked feverishly through the meeting to sell same.

Fred Kletka KL7SE is the Flea Market Booth Chairperson and offered up a few words on the subject.

Roger Hansen KL7HFQ mentioned that **Amateur Radio examinations** will be given by a Volunteer Examainer Team at the Flea Market. Exams will begin each day at  $11:\emptyset\emptyset$  am AKDT.

Douglas Dickinson KL7IKX presented the VHF Committee report for September. He has received the crystals for the new 34/94 transmitter, and mentioned that AL7AW should soon have the new amplifier for 90/30. Doug added that the 146.34/94 Tok repeater is back on the air, but is suffering from receiver problems. In the interim, legal 2-meter simplex is alive and well in the Tok area, with much activity on 146.52 direct.

The fixes door prizes were distributed to many needy hams.

Jerry Smith of the American Red Cross told us that he will conduct an Introduction to Red Cross Services course on Tuesday, September 17, at the Red Cross building at 3rd and Cordova, starting at 7:00 pm AKDT. The week of September 23rd, the Red Cross will be presenting many training classes at Elmendorf AFB. All interested were invited to attend. Jerry still wants to develop that crackerjack cadre of Red Cross-trained radio amateurs.

Beth Head NL7FZ picked up the Advanced Class class ball for the ailing NL7FY and told us that a gang of students were still needed in order to justify holding the course. Contact her or Linda for further information.

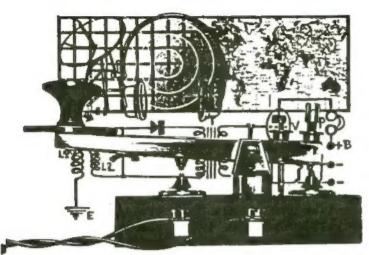
There being no further business or arguments, the meeting was adjourned at  $8:50\ \mathrm{pm}$  AKDT.

Respectfully submitted,

David B. Epstein KL7L0

Secretary





75th Anniversary of Amateur Radio: The Wireless Institute of Australia





Sender's name and address

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Bonnie,

I received this commemorative envelope from VK3DOV, QSL Manager for the Midlands Amateur Radio Group in Victoria. I think that it would be appropriate to share it with the AARC in the newsletter.

73. PED

KL7HM

75th Anniversary of Ameteur Radio: The Wireless Institute of Australia

Guglielmo Marconi sent a wireless signal across the English Channel in 1899 and the world advanced into the age of radio. Amateur experimenters showed an immediate interest in the new medium and soon dubs and associations began forming as enthusiasts banded together. Dozens of clubs emerged in Australia. By 1910 the Postmaster-General's Department was advocating the formation of a body to represent the interests of amateur radio groups in this country. The ensuing Wireless Institute of Australia is now claimed to be the oldest national radio organisation in the world. The envelope theme emphasises the personal involvement and world-ranging scope of amateur radio. The operator, in the stamp area, is depicted against a pattern of amateur radio "call signs"—the "VK" prefix indicating that they are Australian.

Envelope design: Rowan Smith, Australia Port Graphic Design Studio. Stamp area illustration: Ilrian Clinton, Melbourne Envelope number: 095



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#### AUGUST 1985 VHF REPORT

The repair of the 147.90/30 main repeater is continuing slowly. The new power amp is here, but I've got a full schedule of travel for the next month or so. Needless to say there'll be a slight delay in getting the new amp. tied into the existing driver, and receiver. I hope that this can be done before the first snowfall, or at least before the mountain road is blocked.

We're still in need of a site somewhere up on the hillside for the uplink site to Lake Minchumina. The downlink side paperwork is being processed by the commercial site operator that we hope to getback into. Things look good for our re-entering this site. But time will tell. And of course when the permission comes through, there will have to be a work party to get it all up & installed. Stay tuned for further developments.

We're still waiting for the crystals to arrive for the "new" solid state rptr. for the 94 system. After crystals are here comes the fun of tuneup & rewiring the coontroller into the new system. I expect that the install will take in the neighborhood of 3-4 hrs. So plan your QSO's and phone patches now so you won't be surprised when the repeater is turned off for the swap over.

Work has come to another standstill on the uplink equipment for the Minchumina project. Al Andrus KL7EF is overloaded (still) at work, & since we haven't had any volunteers to wire up the controller board (cw id, COS & timers) we are just letting this project rest til time can be made available ...not to mention that we still need a site!

We continue to have folks who kerchunk the local repeaters. I suppose to see if it is working. WHY kerchunk?? Just ID, if the repeater comes back to you it's working. If not, either the machine is off the air, or not in range. You wouldn't think of kerchunking a simplex frequency, so why do it on a repeater?

A side note related to phone patches on area machine. REMEMBER, a phone patch is not to be used to circumvent the long distance circuits. This is not only the LAW, but common sense. There area large number of commercial operations that supply radio telephone service, & of course there is a long distance carrier in this state. If they begin to hear commercial traffic on an AMATEUR rptr., they have every right to complain to the FCC. The repeater could very well lose its phone patch. The same is true of using the patch to avoid paying long distance charges, where telephone service is available. PLEASE don't put the club in the position of having to turn off the patch. If a phone is nearby & available, USE THE PHONE, pay the couple of dollars, and don't risk having the patch taken off for everyone.

A couple of final thoughts..remember to ID even while working simplex, EACH 10 min, & at beginning & end of QSO. This is the LAW & you can receive a notice of violation for forgetting. If you get a notice of viol., you must respond within time frame indicated in WRITING. Don't throw away or lose it without taking necessary actions. Your license will be revoked & you can be slapped with a fine for not responding to an official letter.

Hope the summer has been pleasant & profitable for you. Remember to save your antenna projects for the winter when you don't have to worry about sumburn or dehydration! See you at the Flea Mkt. I hope to be in town.

By the time you read this, the '85 Flea Mkt will be history. Hope someone has given my fleas a good home, & hopefully I left with less fleas than I arrived with.

How many of you took the opportunity to have your mobile or portable radio looked over at the Tweak and Peak (Turn and Burn) booth?

Did you know that there is a requirement by the FCC that all commercial radios have at least a once a yr. Frequency, Power, & Deviation check? Don't you suppose that a ham rig goes thru just as much abuse, and hard knocks as a commercial radio, if not more? Even if your radio is new, it was shipped from somewhere. They don't grow on current bushes, & shipping can be very rough on tuned circuits. Not to mention the radios that come from overseas are set up for the higher pitched lower amplitude Asian voice. When the lower pitched, higher amplitude American voice works the radio, overdrive & clipping quite often occurs in the audio, resulting in muddy sounding audio. On deviation. . . remember the majority of the repeaters in Americaareset up to commercial standards. Thismeans a maximum of +/- 5 KHZ! deviation! The standard for voice is to set the deviation peaks at +/- 4 Khz, to allow for the +/- 700 Hz that comes along with PL (R) or CTCSS tones. And touch tones should be set to +/- 2.5 Khz for the number '1' tone set & +/- 3.0 Khz for the '#' tone set. Any heavier deviation just causes clipping & distortion in the transmitter, which fools the tone decoders on whichever reppater you are trying to work.

While on subject of dev. & rptrs, please if you are flying around in a small plane & trying to use your handheld, invest in a good noise cancelling mic or boom mic that is noise canceling. Small planes have lots of background noise & it is natural to try and shout above it. The repeaters have a hard time repeating all that noise. Unless you mute the background noise, you can just about forget about making phone patches.

Work continues on the 90/30 replacement power amp.Ran it last Fri. for 1 hr. continously. No heat rise w/50 watts output. I expect to go up mountain week of Sept. 16th, before heavy snow clogs the road. Work on the solid state transmitter for 94 is on hold til I clear up 90/30 project. Still no volunteers to work on "new" UHF rptr., so old one stays off the air for awhile longer. Still haven't had anyone up on hillside volunteer a location for the Minchumina Uplink site. Permission is in mill for downlink site. Will have to shell out money to buy a set of duplexers for this project. Other VHF happenings around area, incl. the TOK 34/94 rptr. is back on air. Thanks to SAP (SewardAmateur Project) a new repeater on 34/94 is on in Seward. Thanks to KL7HNU, KV9D, KL7IOL and others.

Bristol Amat. Radio. Fraternity (BARF) is working on getting 34/94 machine in Dillingham area. This will give bootleggers something to think about while they are abusing our band.

If interested in RTTY on VHF, there is RTTY rptr. on & ready for use on 146.10/70 in Anchorage. If interested in packet radio, see Walt Pierce, AL7CM. He can be found on bulletin board system called CHSIE (243-0324). Did you know there are at 2 Bulletin Boards in area that have sections set aside or Ham users? CHSIE 243-0324 & ACME 345-6661. Nice place to leave messages for fellow hams, get latest news, or help w/problems. All you need is computer, a modem (telephone style) and of course a phone.Give it a try. As one of our members who also belongs to the CHSIE board & is fond of using quotes can tell you, it's a lot of fun! That's about it for this report, please remember that 911 is used for Emergency's Only! Life threatening situation. The standard fender benders, stray dogs, etc. don't belong on 911. Use 912 for the City Police or 913 for the State Troopers normal dispatch centers.

# ANCHORAGE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB, INC. Minutes of Board of Directors Meeting, September 11, 1985 Hope Cottage Offices, 2805 Bering Street

Present: President Lance Dunbar AL7BK, Past President Daniel Stevens KL7WM; Vice-President Bud Laws KL7IBZ; Secretary David Epstein KL7LO; Treasurer Beth Head NL7FZ; Trustee Bill Reiter KL7ITI; 3-year Board Members J. D. Delancy K1ZAT/NL7, Jim Larsen AL7FS, and Fred Toliver KL7HM; 1-year Board Members Steve Wilcox KL7JIM, Rick Marvin KL7YF, Cathi Moody KL7NR, and Rod Maney KL7SA. Excused: Activities Manager Linda Harmon NL7FY and 1-year Board Member Ed Tucker KL7DU. Absent: 1-year Board Member Bill Capers AL7BB. Also present: Lil Marvin NL7DL and Robert M. McKinnie AL7AW.

The meeting was called to order at 7:03 pm AKDT by President Lance Dunbar AL7BK. Rick Marvin KL7YF moved that the minutes of the previous minutes not be read as the procedure took up too much time. The motion died for lack of support. KL7LO suggested that, instead of reading the previous board meeting minutes (which were printed in the September club newsletter), any corrections be noted and made a part of the record. AL7AW stated that the July 24th board meeting minutes were in error in that the club property recently found at Tibor Bothany's house had, in fact, not been there for 4 years. It had been there since last fall. With these corrections, the July 24th board meeting minutes were approved.

Bob AL7AW continued on with an Arts Fair Wrap-up. He stated that our help was sufficient, but that the Arts Fair was not as heavily attended this year as in the past. In addition, raffle ticket sales had been slow -- perhaps a dozen tickets at most sold for the whole day.

Lil Marvin NL7DL offered up the final Flea Market Report before the Big Event. She immediately obligated everyone attending the Board meeting to hit up their employer or some other acquaintance for door prizes. Lance AL7BK mentioned that he had the newsprint for the banner to go on the building, but the banner had to be made and put up on the building — he needed help. KL7L0 will sell the pull tabs, and the gaming license will be on site. Turning to the Flea Market Banquet, we had, at the time of the Board meeting, sold half the tickets we needed to sell to break even. The Haufbrau had been confirmed for a party of 40 on Saturday night. The Icom IC-2AT door prize had arrived. The subject of selling additional door prize tickets at the banquet to further cover expenses was discussed.

Lance told us that the **Fur Rondy** folks had been hurt financially the last go-around by a State Labor Department ruling that required them to pay overtime to people working on Rondy functions. So, for the 1986 Rondy, the Rondy folks are asking local clubs to volunteer to help them with work that needed to be done -- like setting up tables and chairs, working a parking lot, or helping out with crowd control, etc. These volunteers would be paid by Fur Rondy (how much was not disclosed). The money would go to the clubs, not the individuals, in order to get away from having to pay overtime wages. The Directors immediately picked up on the conflict between monetary gain and use

of Amateur Radio. If ham radio is to be a part of the service provided, the only clean way for Club members to volunteer their services is on a not-for-pay basis, so as not to run into a problem with Part 97. KL7WM and AL7BK pointed out that other radio services, allowing commercial use, could be utilized on a for-pay basis by Club members, providing they were properly licensed to use them.

The State Department of Revenue has invited Club members involved with the gaming license to attend a meeting on September 24th in the Federal Building on that subject.

The minutes of the August Board of Directors meeting and the September General Club meeting were read. The minutes of the August Board of Directors meeting were corrected to show that Dave Cliff is not Dave Cliff, he's Dale Cliff. The Club property disk was not unilaterally prepared by Martha Neeley KL7QS—she had help from Lorraine Conary KL7IAF and Daniel Stevens KL7WM. In addition, Board Members NL7FZ and AL7FS were excused from last month's meeting, and not absent. These minutes were then approved as corrected. The minutes of the September General club meeting were approved as read.

Club Treasurer Beth Head NL7FZ passed out the Treasurer's report.

Past President Daniel Stevens KL7WM announced that the Audit Committee will consist of Bill Barber KL7GM and Bill Barker WB5MYU, and that they would be getting underway with the audit shortly. Lance wants the audit completed as soon as possible so that any discrepancies can be resolved in the near future.

Treasurer NL7FZ embarked upon a short but effective campaign for supplies crucial to the accomplishment of her mission, namely a receipt book, stamps, envelopes, and a briefcase. Lance ordered her to procure these items, and told her where she could get a good buy on a briefcase.

This month's VHF Committee report was presented by KL7YF on behalf of the traveling KL7IKX. Due to termination dust, we will work on the  $9\emptyset/3\emptyset$  site first, then 34/94. A packet radio QSO had recently been accomplished between Anchorage and Fairbanks via the Minchumina link. Doug is still working on resurrecting the FM portion of the link.

KL7WM asked if a the Frequency Coordinator vacancy created by the departure of W5AHO had been filled; to our knowledge, it had not. AL7FS stated that he had done it before and would be interested in doing it again. AL7BK told AL7FS to consider himself interim Frequency Coordinator until we found out for sure what the situation was. Daniel asked if any progress had been made on Club jackets. KL7LO responded that he did not intend to do any more on that subject until after the Flea Market, and that a report would be offered at the October General Club meeting. Daniel volunteered to backfill the vacancy in Alaska Volunteers Active In Disaster created by the departure of KL7QS. We also need a club liaison officer to the Red Cross, and AL7BK suggested that Jerry Smith of the Red Cross be asked to do this. A club liaison officer to the Anchorage Search and Rescue Council is also needed, and KL7LO suggested that N7HER be approached to see if he were interested. KL7WM will execute the approach.

Rick Marvin KL7YF stated that the Club signs needed to be rejuvenated. What we have is in bad shape due to moisture and use over the years.

Daniel KL7WM announced that the Club Certificates of Recognition had been received from the printer. In addition, he needed \$75 to defray expenses for the Juneau plaque. We are making arrangements to have a videotape made of the presentation ceremony in Juneau.

KL7YF announced that **Alascom** is willing to have us hold a General Club meeting at their main toll center on Government Hill, and perhaps have a tour of a portion of the facilities as the program for the evening. AL7BK mentioned that this would be a good early summer program. We are going to think about it (actually, it will be referred to the Activities Manager).

AL7BK offered up a quick **Activities Manager** report on behalf of the ailing NL7FY. The balance in the door prize account is an even  $\$1\emptyset\emptyset$ , that following a turn-back to the club of \$85.52. This testifies to the high rate of door prize ticket sales at Club meetings. The coffee fund is doing remarkably well, thank you, after the justified reprimand we all received from Mary NL7DM on August 2.

NL7DL has \$180 left from the \$1,000 authorized her at last month's Board of Directors meeting, for the purpose of defraying Flea Market expenses.

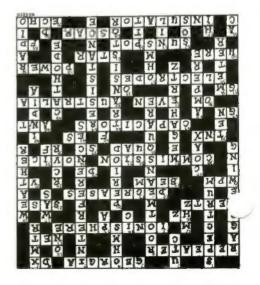
Membership Chairperson J. D. Delancy KIZAT/NL7 has 10 Life Membership certificates that he has not been able to deliver to the associated Life Members. Past policy has been that we would not mail the certificates; however, it appeared timely to revisit that policy. Accordingly, KL7LO moved, and Rod maney KL7SA seconded, that the certificates be mailed to the Life Members. The motion passed unanimously. J. D. had run out of the increasingly popular AARC membership card (increasingly popular because they're good for discounts at some store(s) in town!) and queried the Board, "Do we want to pay to print more?" Further action on this was postponed until after the Flea Market and "we know how we stand money-wise."

KL7ITI moved, and KL7SA seconded, that we adjourn. The motion passed unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 9:22 pm AKDT.

Respectfully submitted,

David B. Epstein KL7L0

Secretary





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LET'S SEE...THIS END GOES HERE. . . NO, MAYBE THAT END GOES THERE. . . . HMMMMMM.



IS THIS WHAT THEY MEAN BY "HOME BREW EQUIPMENT"?



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L7 AXI	BEVERLY FAULTERSACK			KL7	CU	SHIELA BERTICIVICH	H:561-5473	W:561-5
7 AY	WILLIAM CRANDALL	H:456-2685	W:488-6261	KL7	CUK	LEROY J DAVIE	385-574-288	55
	GARY RIGDON		W:659-2800	AL7	CV	APRIL DELANCY	H:345-9507	W:561-6
	DIANNE HAMPTON		W:376-5588		CY	PEGGY DON	H:345-1504	W:243-1
	HOWIE OKLAND		W:263-4482	KV9		GEORGE HURD	H:337-4186	
	KARL OLSON	H:345-5744	W1200 1102	NL7		TIM MICHAEL	H:349-1673	
	RICK RUNYAN	H: 688-2963		WL7		FRANK BOWLIN	H:337-5567	
					DB	MIKE EVANS	H:344-4447	
	RALPH WESSER	H:346-1376				TOM A ENGBERG	H: 428-3141	
	WENDY WESSER	H:346-1376	11 0/0 /000		DC		H: 694-9526	#1009-1
.7 BB	B.B. CAPERS	H:337-2916	W:862-1282		DE	ROSE BANSE		
L7 BB	BILL BALZARINI				DF	BONNIE JENNINGS	H:243-1146	307.7
17 BBO	DON J BRUCKNER	H:694-9662			DH	CAROLYN EVANS	H:344-4447	
	JOHN UNTERBERG	H:274-5265	U-274-8845	NI 7	DI	GILBERT BLUE	H:338-8829	W:26/-1

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DJE	NATHAN SMITH	H:745-3128		AL7 FS	JAMES H LARSEN	H:345-3190	W:264-7335
7 DK	RICHARD L STEWART	H:243-5817	W:276-7688	KL7 FS	ARTHUR CHASE		
	HARVEY E ROOKUS	H:333-4693		NL7 FU	EDWARD J. YOUNG III	H:346-2449	
	RAY CAMERON		W:276-6638	KL7 FV	DYANNE BESTRY		
	BRYCE RUMERY			AL7 FX	STEVE BANSE	H:694-9526	
	LILLIAN MARVIN	H:277-6741		NL7 FX	CHRIS HANSON	H:248-4978	
	MARY LAUS	H:344-5146			JOSEPH DREMER	503-278-114	5
	DENNIS STRAIT	H:345-2377			RICHARD C NEELY	M:563-7390	
	LEONARD ALESSI		W:276-1933	NL7 FY	LINDA HARMON	H:333-4754	M:344-514/
		H:346-1550		KL7 FZ	STEVE TOLLEY	111000 1101	W1011 01 10
	GINGER WEED	W:340_1398	W:302-2211	NL7 FZ	BETH DANIEL HEAD	H:694-3481	U-794_4210
	JERRY R SUANSON		N 707 0100				
	ED TUCKER	H:333-6384		AL7 G	HERBERT M ROSENTHAL	H:243-5949	
	GEORGE C STROTHER		W:376-5432	WL7 G	GUNNAR KNAPP	H:337-3206	M:502-8014
	CHUCK LOCKNER	H:376-1226	W:376-6446	NL7 GA	TOM KIESTER	H:562-4185	
	MIKE NAUMANN	H:563-3384			KAY NUTTALL		
7 EA	HANNELORE KELLTHER	H:694-3722		NL7 GF	TONY DURR	H:688-4342	W:263-915
7 EB	EDWARD R COLE				D.B. GLEASON	H:345-1510	
7 EB	DAVID W STEVENS	H:345-6506	W:272-1213	KL7 GHB	GUY H GREENE	H:345-1323	
	ALAN ANDRUS	H:337-4481	W:267-1356	KL7 GHG	JOHN SKURLA	H:243-6473	W:243-2683
	JENNIFER NELSON	H:688-2836		KL7 GID	EUGENE HOCKERMANN	H:892-6168	
	DAVID R OGLESBY		W:562-2203	AL7 GJ	VIRGIL BALL	H:561-0272	W:561-6193
	P. BEAUGARD	H:333-8865			DEBORAH BIANCO	H:345-3254	
	CLARK SANN	111330 0000	W1500 0000	AL7 GK		H:783-2883	
		H:243-4728	11,242-2100		MARGIE PAGE	H:279-1240	W:267-127
	DEL WOLFINGTON	H:243-6982		KL7 GM	WILLIAM J BARBER	H:333-7019	VIII 1
	RUSSELL E SCOTT		#:335-3371	N6 GM	ROY C GOULD	H:337-7632	
	ROBERT WOOLSEY	H:346-1649			CHARLES CRAPUCHETTES	H:337-8861	
	EARL PLUMB	H:272-2929	11.0/0 1506	AL7 GN	C.O. ROBISON	11,551 0001	
	JOEL W SPIVEY	H:428-2029	W:863-1209	KL7 GN	GORDON NIGHTINGALE		
	ROBERT CHRISTENSEN					H:562-5001	DOL DAN
	JERRY WARD	H:274-8249			JOHN BIERMAN	U:307_3841	436 0/11
7 EU	MARSHALL RONNE, JR	H:338-5784			JACK NATTHEWS		
7 EV	PETER K MARKVARDSEN	H:333-7941		KL7 GQ	ROY H HANSEN		
.7 EW	RICHARD GOSHORN	H:272-4182	W:274-6625		JOHN SPENCER	H:333-1808	
7 EY	A.E. BENSON	H:274-2951			DON R. MEJERHOFF	H:243-1846	W:264-375
	JIM OWENS	H:694-9415	W:271-3897		LES COLLISON		
	CHRIS HAZLITT	H:562-4181		AL7 GS	HOWARD P HORNSBY	H:274-8756	
	GAIL WOOLETT	H:337-4106		KE4 GS	KELLY D ANDERSON	H:753-1886	
	WILLIAM WOOLETT	H:337-4186		KL7 GU	ALLEN TURNER	H:274-1246	W:243-454
	KEN DELP		W:269-1115	K7 GUH	THOMAS P OWENS	H:694-2368	W:263-780
	PAUL GALLION		W:344-8574	AL7 GU	J.C. GRUBBS	K:688-3351	
	FIELDER GEORGE DOWDING		W:786-1387		SREGORY NIGHTINGALE	H:243-2952	W:564-925
			W:552-3856		DAVID LAWRENCE		,
_	RICHARD L RUNYAN	N:000-2703	W1JJZ-30J0		HAROLD L BERRY		
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7 FK0	ALLEN BIANCO	H:345-3254			PAUL M ROSE	H:694-4193	M:225-017
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7 FN	CLEO J MORRIS	H:688-2746	W:345-6888		C.D. HORTON	916-966-329	1
	BILL CROWL	206-631-743	19	KL7 HFA	MIKE JOHNNIE	H:276-5518	W:562-204
	DAVE ZUGSBERGER		W:465-3568	KL7 HFM	FRED WEGNER	H:274-3464	W:862-928
	TOM CLOONAN	HIVW STE	31.22 0000		ROGER HANSEN	H:243-2221	
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KL7 H H KENNETH LANE	H:337-2092	W:272-8834	KL7 JIJ	JAMES MINTON	H:248-1965	W:562-2242
KL7 HHO WAYNE GROOMER	H:376-5684		KL7 JIM	STEPHEN A WILCOX	H:349-5056	W:264-8
KL7 HHR AL HAYNES			KL7 JKC	DAVID GODDYEAR	H:278-2193	W:562-2772
KL7 HIU ROBERT L PAGE	H:279-1248	W:277-2142	KL7 JKE	CONRAD HILPERT	486-782-932	28
KL7 HJD HAL STEVES	H:344-8873	W:552-3375	KL7 JKV	DAVID ANDERSON	H:337-5404	W:264-1284
KL7 HJZ JOHN D TWIGGS		W:271-5802	KL7 JKW	DEL HANRATH	H:495-6213	
KL7 HICH RIK V SHAFER	H:274-3149	W:564-4174	KL7 JX	JANIS M MONROE	H:243-0355	W:344-2561
KL7 HKP M. NEAL FREDSTROM	H:562-7491		KL7 K	DAVE OLSON	H:345-5744	
KL7 HM FRED TOLIVER	H:346-2900	W:561-2233	WL7 K	VINCENT A VANDERHYDE	H:789-5832	W:465-4966
KL7 HINM BRIAN D WICK		W:786-1743				W:279-0543
KL7 HO ARLENE STEWARD	H:345-1530	W:349-4402	KL7 KU	T. STANTON WILSON	H:279-4358	
KL7 HOT ROGER WEED			KL7 KY	JERRY BELANGER	H:333-9165	
KL7 H Q J HAROLD S FARNEY	H:563-7398		KL7 L	PATTI BLSON	H:345-5744	
KL7 HUJ THOMAS E MONROE	H:243-0355		WL7 E	CHARLES H FORTIER	H:272-4846	
N7 I A GARY DIXON		W:279-8422			H:495-6213	
KL7 I A F LORRAINE CONARY		W:561-1001		JIM GRAVES	H:783-2495	
KL7 I BAA FRANK N VAN ZANT	H:272-3101	W:276-6664	KL7 L.H	LUCILLE HILPERT	496-782-832	28
KL7 I BZ CLAUDE V LAWS		W:276-6664		JOHN D ORELLA		
KL7 I CB JOHN BAINSJORDAN		W:564-1458		DAVID EPSTEIN		W:271-5324
W7 ICI BOB LUPO	H:694-5678	W:333-5591		SCOTT SPECKHART		W:552-5401
KL7 I EN JAY L MEAD	206-630-035			JAMES D HOGGARD	286-743-88	
KL7 I FK DON HOWELL		W:271-5057		LARON GLOVER	H:274-1949	W:337-4411
W4 I GM JOHN W SHULL		W:552-4618		JASPER HEATH		
KL7 I J GEORGE L STEWART	H:344-0103	W:563-3299		HAROLD D DEVOE	714-466-856	
KL7 I K F HAL KOSTLIN	H:694-9993		KL7 MJ	REED MCKINNEY		W:266-3692
KL7 I RU LYNN HAMMOND	H:337-6170	W:265-2948	KL7 ML	STEVE SCHROEDER	H:333-1034	W:279-9608
KL7 IKX DOUGLAS P DICKINSON	H:349-4131	W:267-1421	KL7 MQ	JOYCE CURMAN		
KL7 IMD JAMES C HILTON	H:337-5658			WILLIAM BARKER	H:243-7815	W:552-26.
KL7 I COL RICHARD DENNIS			K3 NEU	ROY BERKOWITZ	H:694-3566	W:552-4555
KL7 IPU FRANCIS J DRAKE JR			KL7 NG	BETTY MENARD	H:733-2521	
KL7 I Q:P JOHN ARSENAULT	SILENT KEY		KL7 NK	JOSEPH TALBOTT		
KL7 ISI MICK MONROE		W:349-4511		CATHERINE MODDY		W:552-3964
KL7 ISP STEPHEN SCHNEIDER		W:277-9432		MARV WEATHERLY		W:263-2102
KL7 ITI WILLIAM R REITER	H:337-1779	W:552-3358		BUD EPPERSON		W:272-8224
KL7 I LUJ CURT HARRIS	H:571-1294		KL7 OG		H:753-5377	W:552-2467
KL7 I W WALTER BURKEVICH	H:277-0458			JAMES J. WZOREK III		
KL7 IWC LAWRENCE H WALTER	H:345-8198		KL7 OK			W:271-5906
KL7 IWY DICKSON 6 PRATT				FORREST BOGARD	H:235-6814	
KL7 IXT MIKE BARBARICK	H:688-3898	W:264-4128	KL7 ON	LINDA OKLAND	H:248-2166	
KL7 12 J DEANNA BARBARICK	H:698-3898	W:277-5661			H:338-4409	W:561-1944
KL7 IZL ORV GILBERT	H:661-3328		KL7 OS	MARK ENNERSON		
KL7 120 BILL 000M	H:248-0903		KL7 OX	SUSIE PETTIS		W:277-1923
KL7 IZZ HARLEY STEWARD	H:345-1530		KL7 OY	DAVID SHYERS		W:344-0561
VILT J' WILMOT WARNER				JIN VAUGHAN		W:269-1136
KL7 JA TOM CHOATE	H:333-5389	W:786-1344	NL7 P	DAVE VOGEL		W:561-1944
KL7 JAI KEN GREENE	H:243-2576			LOANE E. JANSON	H:243-7576	
KL7 JDR BRUCE W MILLS	H:262-4373	W:659-5491	KL7 PC	ROBERT W GUNSON	H:694-7848	
KL7 JFJ WILLIAM WARD		W:438-2511		HAROLD HITCHEN	H:248-3368	14 704 0 404
KL7 JGJ TERRY BECKHAM	h: 694-9575	W:753-2583	KL7 PN	STEPHEN W. STOUT	H:248-1541	W:786-0639
KL7 JGN LLOYD FULLER		W:272-4531	KL7 PQ	KIRSTEN PETERSEN		
KL7 JGU JAY IVAN JENNINGS	H:243-1146		KL7 PU	JEROME GEORGE		W:561-1148
KL7 JIG HERBERT K BRASSEUR	H:243-6239	W:344-9661	WAS PUJ	GLENN JOHNSON	H:243-5205	W:552-3737

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KL7 PX	LARRY F GRINDROD	H:337-6923	W:243-1260	KL7 WG	JIM TILLY		W:349-5218
PY	PAUL NILSON		W:266-1265	KL7 WK	ROBERT W HOLIFIELD	H:262-4841	
L. QC	DWIGHT D CLIFT		W:277-1637	KL7 WM	DANIEL STEVENS	H:274-3051	W:272-1213
	WENDELL NELSON		W:243-2635	KL7 WQ	NORMAN WISWELL	H:349-2848	W:263-4085
KL7 Q:S	MARTHA NEELEY	H:337-2663		KL7 ×	MIKE TURNER		W:263-1574
KL7 QW	DAVID HEYE	H:374-8781		KL7 XG	LESTER D EDWARDS		W:279-7671
KL7 QY	SHERMAN REYNOLDS	H:344-2775		KL7 XM	TOM REHRER	H:333-6187	
KL7 QZ	JOHN C BURY	H:835-5084		KL7 YF	RICK MARVIN	H:277-6741	
			W:564-9186	KL7 YH	BENJAMIN WHITEHEAD	H:346-2513	
NL7 R	DENNIS ALLEN		W:552-3897	KL7 YL	VIVIAN JOHNSON	H:243-5285	
KL7 RB	STEVE DIEHL		W:465-4978		DICKERSON MACLEOD	383-392-698	21
KL7 RH	DUNCAN C FOWLER				MILO HARDENBROOK	206-435-828	
	EDWIN C. SCHILLING		W:552-3846	K85 YR			
AL7 S	DANIEL J KRUSHENSKY	H:333-8060	W:552-3819	KL7 YZ	ROBERT SPENCER		W:562-2420
WL7 S	TOM SOCKOLDSKY				J A D DELANCY		W:552-5183
KL7 SA	ROONEY & MANEY	H:562-3496	W:277-2081	KL7 ZH	BARBRA SHIVE		W:349-4482
KL7 SD	KENT LARSON			KL7 ZJ	STEVEN A MORRISON		W:561-1838
KL7 SE	FRED KLETKA	H:562-5583	W:552-3568	KL7 ZK	DOUG MONTOYA		W:243-2683
WB7 SEQ	KEN SLAUSON	H:376-8698		KL7 ZM	RICH WRITNEY		W:276-8811
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KL7 S I	JOHN PASH	H:337-7728	W:279-5656	KL7 ZV	JIM BENDER		
KL7 SK	ART TAYLOR	H:248-8424		KL7 ZY	LINDA NILSON	H:349-4243	W:249-1196
	PETER J LAPLANTE	H:344-8701	W:264-7816				
KL7 SQ	HANS BUCHHOLTZ	H:243-1459					
KL7 SV	ROBERT FAULTERSACK	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,					
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•	MAEVE RYAN	U-404_0200	W:266-8418				
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KL/ TL	PATSY KLETKA	H:338-4296					
KL7 TM	TOM GREEN	*****	W:562-2813				
KL7 TN	LESA GREEN		M:205-5013				
KL7 TO	ALFRED W GIEBEL	K:694-2178	D.E/A 4020				
KL7 TP	BOB FARKAS		W:564-4273				
K7 TPN	RICHARD W PHELPS		W:688-2141				
KL7 TO	MARK KELLIHER	H:694-3722					
KB7 TW	PATRICIA CHADDOCK	206-671-769					
KB7 UG	JIM CHADDOCK	206-671-769					
KL7 UPS	HAP WURLITZER		W:272-5841				
KL7 UQ	FRANCIS SOLTIS	H:688-2896					
WA7 USX	MICHAEL MCLAUGHLIN		W:264-5121				
KL7 VB	HARRY GILMORE		W:271-5334				
KL7 VC	FRED ERICKSON		W:561-5544				
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KL7 VL	SHARON A DEAN	H:745-4352	W:271-5678				
KL7 ON	BRADFORD HOLIFIELD	H:243-7518					
	DONNA VAUGHAN	H:337-2699					
KL7 VS	WILLIAM EVERETT		W:552-2741				
		H:338-0950	#1002 E171				
KL7 UT	JEAN BELFIELD	D:330~0730					
	PALMER FORSMOE	11.002.4000	11.574 3010				
KL7 WE	TIMOTHY PETTIS	H:Z/6-19//	W:264-7818				
KL7 WF	STEVEN D HILDEBRAND	44	W:465-2509				



EXCHANGING "FLEAS", SWAPPING STORIES, JUST PLAIN HAVING A HECK OF A TIME!





ARRL BOOTH, WITH MARY LEWIS, W7QSP, THE NORTH-WEST DIRECTOR FOR ALASKA, WASH., DREGON, MONTANA, AND IDAHO.

MARY LEWIS WAS THE SPEAKER FOR THE BANQUET HELD AT HOF BRAU HOUSE ON SATURDAY NIGHT. HERE, KL7WM IS PRE-SENTING HER WITH A DIAMOND WILLOW WALKING STICK.

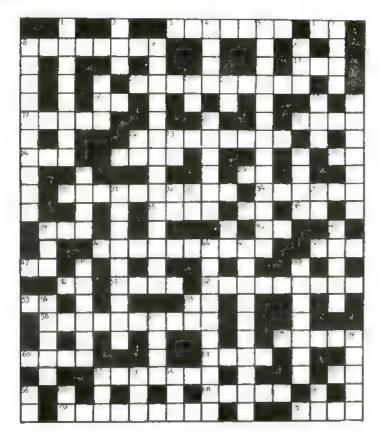




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MORGAN, KL7CQ; BETTY RHOADES,
KL7AP; BOB MC KINNIE, AL7AW;
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DUNBAR, AL7BK. AND LAST YRS
PRESIDENT, DANIEL STEVENS,
KL7WM. GOOD LOOKIN' CREW!

## Crossword Puzzle

#### John Lawson, WA6ZXN



#### DOWN

- The entire range of wavelengths in radio waves.
- 2 The same as Greenwich mean time
- 4 Who's law states voltage(E) = current(I) multiplied by resistance(R)
- 5 QRM and QRN.
- 7 Transmitter
- 8. Talking for hours
- 9. rm.s.
- Number of years a log must be kept.
- 12. A million cycles per second. (abbr.)
- 14. Integrated circuit.
- 15. Power amplifier
- Award for confirming all states in the U.S
- 18 WX
- 20 ditdahditdahditdah
- 22 "This is" in Morse code
- 23 Cuba prefix
- 26. Receiver.
- 28. Common transmission line

- 31. 1000 kilohertz.
- 32. Egypt prefix.
- 33. State in W0-land. (abbr.)
- 35. Intermediate frequency.
- Excellent daytime DX band during the years of high sunspot activity.
- 40. Clipperton Island prefix
- 42. The ITU phonetic word for "I."
- 44. A solid-state tube.
- 45. Voltage(E) divided by current(I).
- 48. Unit of current
- 49. An electrode of a tube.
- The approximate metric equivalent to the yard.
- 55. Austria prefix
- 57 Units of resistance
- 59. Transceiver in laymen's terms.
- 62 Distress call in Morse code
- 63 Nothing
- 64 Push to talk
- 56 Type of current found in house imes.
- o. The telegraphic mugh
- by Type of current from a battery

#### ACROSS

- ·3 State in W4-land.
- 6 Radio stations in other countries or
- at great distances.

  8. Station receiving a signal on one frequency and automatically
  - retransmitting it on another.
- A group of hams meeting on a specific frequency, at a scheduled time, for direct communications.
- Used to propagate high frequency radio signals over great distances.
- 16 Hertz (abbr.)
- 19. One cycle per second
- 21. Usually sent to guarantee a reply by mail.
- Happens to resonant frequency as antenna length increases
- 24. Five required for Novice; 13 for General: 20 for Extra.
- 25. Excellent directional antenna.
- 27. W1-state with the least number of amateurs, (abbr.)
- 29 From
- 30. Federal Communications
- 34. Beginner's ticket.
- 36. Type of beam antenna
- One of North Carolina's neighbors. (abbr.)
- 38. Radio frequency.
- 39. Thanks.
- 41. And.
- 43. Electrolytics are common types.
- 46. Antenna. (abbr.)
- 47. Good night in Morse code
- 50. Old man in Morse code
- 51. Not odd.
- 52. Country with "VK" prefix
- 53. Good morning in Morse code
- 55. Belgium prefix
- 56. Tube's internal components
- Current (I) multiplied by voltage (E)
- 60. Not there.
- A heavenly object in radio astronomy
- 62. The maximum usable frequency has a direct relation to this cycle
- 65 Field day (abbr.)
- 68 A Space Age VHF repeater
- 70 A poor electrical conductor
- 71. The ITU phonetic word for "E

#### NICADS---A BRIEF OVERVIEW



Nicads in good shape should read about 1.42 volts when fully charged.

Internal impedance is very low.

Impedance rises as the battery discharges.

To maintain charge, batteries should be stored at a freezing temperature to about -40 degrees f.

Nicads may be charged at C/30 forever.

Fast charge is considered to be about C/3.

Nicads fully charged will deteriorate to about a 10% charge in 20 weeks.

Batteries frozen will maintain 90% of their charge after six months.

Nicads should not be allowed to become completely discharged unless done at a slow rate. Such as, "squelch open and volume on very low".

Nicads stored for long periods of time should be stored discharged.

Nicads will develop a memory if discharged to a similar level many times.

Memory may be avoided by letting the battery discharge to various levels.

When the low battery indicator goes on, the battery should be recharged without further drain.

Batteries that have a heavy current drain during the transition of a discharged state will be damaged and have a shorter life.

By observing the rules of nicad charging and discharging, a battery will have a life of about 3000 full cycles.

A batteries worst enemy is extreme heat. Never charge in a hot location.

A battery full fast charged temperature will be about 125 to 140 degrees.

Never charge nicads in parallel nor draw current from them in parallel.

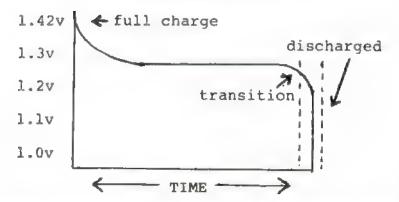
Nicads may be charged at C/10 for a week with no harm.

Never short nicads or attempt to charge off a 12v battery. It may explode.

A shorted cell may be opened by discharging a very large capacitor into the nicad. The capacitor should be enervated to about 13 volts.

Nicads should be charged with a 'constant current voltage limited' chgr..





'lifted' from the Bregon Tualatin Valley ARC 6/85..

#### American "Woodpecker" coming?

United States is due to change their DEW-line surveillance radars to state-of-the-art OTH (over the horizon) systems next year. OTH systems have a 5,800 mile range and operate in the HF bands between 5 and 28 MHz. Radar signals reflect back from the lonosphere thousands of miles away giving OTH radar ten times the range of present day systems. Propagation is assessed by computers which shift the radar's frequency to the most favorable apot within its six hf bands. The USSR has been using OTH radar for some time as any DX operator can attest to.

#### DO'S & DON'TS OF AUTO PATCHING

HERE IS A GENERAL OVERVIEW OF WHAT IS EXPECTED OF YOU:

Can I call my office & tell them I'll be late?

No. Monetary gain is involved since you receive pay to perform some service there. FCC rules forbid use of patch for monetary gain or loss use. Find a pay phone or find another way.

Can I call the grocery store, or Pizza place and place an order?
No. Again, because monetary gain or loss is involved.

Can I call the time number?

No. The # has a commercial announcement tied to it; therefore is commercial in nature. The repeater already has a time announcer on it. Just ID and dial 80 and you'll get the current time, within 1 minute accuracy. (set to WWV weekly)

Can I call someone and find out directions to their houses?

Yes. This would be a valid use of the autopatch; providing you do not discuss business of any kind.

Can I call home from Kenai, or from up in the valley?

Yes. With certain restrictions. Remember that Amateur Radio is not to be used to circumvent regular long distance carriers. If a phone is readily available. USE THE PHONE; but naturally if phone service is not provided in the bush location you are at, you may use the patch. BUT don't use patch on a continuous basis, where other types of commercial communications are available. What we're trying to get across is if you live somewhere out in the bush & are using 2 meters fornormal daily communications to Anchorage, & conducting any Kind of business. . this is not what AmateurRadio is set up for. If you can get into the 94 rptr or the EagleRiver Rptr, or either of the Valley Rotrs, or the Kenai rotr, then you can get into commercial rptrs supplying telephone service to those areas. The commercial carriers can, and will, complain to the FCC that they are losing business & we could be forced to turn off the autopatch. So, if you live in the bush, andwant to usea radiotelephone for regular commercial use, buy a commercial radio telephone service. Ask one of the control operators for a recommendation.

Can I use the patch to call for a wrecker?

Yes. This comes under the provision of saving life or property. However, donot discuss the fees involved. You can give directions.

Can I call home & get a grocery list, or see if there's anything to pick up? Yes, within reason. Don't mention a commercial name. And don't call to say you're just pulling into the driveway and will be inside in a couple of minutes.

What should I do if Iget an answering machine?

This depends on what the message on the machine is. If it's commercial in nature, or contains any type of music, key and disconnect immediately! If not, you can leave a message if you so desire.

When should I use the 911 number?

USE THIS NUMBER ONLY IN LIFE THREATENING SITUATIONS!!
Use the 912 (APD) or 913 (AST) for general accidents, animals in the street, reckless drivers, or other general types of accidents.
Other emergency autodial numbers:

914 (SP's) - Elmendorf AFB Security Police 915 (MP's) - Fort Richardson Security Police 916 (GAS) - Enstar Gas Company 917 (FSS) - Anchorage Flight Service 918 (Lites) Anchorage Traffic Light Department

I hear people calling FSS for weather info. Isn't this commercial in nature?

No. This # is for our out of area pilots, & others that have a need to reach Flight Service. Several local pilots have used this # when inbound & had lost all aircraft communications. This couldbe life threatening, & is considered a proper use of FSS. Getting the weather so as to avoid flying intobad weather is also considered as preventing a life threatening situation. Naturally, if you have another way of calling Flight Service, you should use it first.

Can I call long distance on rptr. and bill it to my home #?

No. It's illegal to use amateur radio to circumvent regular service.

Can I use radio to call a number for a friend, & then let him talk?

Yes. But with some restrictions. Remember this is 3rd party traffic, and you are control operator. You must be present in the same room the entire time you friend is using your transmitter - and you must have informed him of what is - and is not - allowed. This also means that a friend cannot answer a call for you if you are out of the room. There is one exception. If you have been severely injured, yourfriend can call for help - but soon as you are able, a complete report must be filed with the local FCC office, listing all facts and names.

What if someone uses my equipment without my knowledge?
You are responsible. FCC requires your equipment must

You are responsible. FCC requires your equipment must be secured in such a manner that unauthorized transmissions can't take place. You are totally responsible, so lock it up when not in use. This includes

use by children out of school, before parents come home.

Why so many control operators on 94? Do other rptrs have control operators? FCC requires a control operator(s). It insures correct operation of the rptr. station, & a quick way to turn off the system if a problem arises. We try to have enough operators to cover from 6:00 a.m. to midnight 7 days a week. Without operators on duty, we are required to turn off the autopatch, a situation we try to avoid. All rptrs have at least 1 control operator. They assure that the rptr is used in correct manner. If you feel they have come down on you needlessly, discuss it with theem on the phone - not on the radio. It saves hard feelings for many not actually involved in the incident - & keeps us from having a bad name with those who listen on their scanners.

Why are some rptr autopatch's closed to public? I thought Amateur Radio frequencies are free toany property licensed amateur?

While the freq. are open to any properly licensed operator, equip. & services cost money. Either a club has to provide these services for its members, or an individual has to pay out of their own pockets for the equip and telephone line(s). It's only fairthat while they can not make a profit, they may charge enough to cover operating exp. Telep. lines are not cheap, & equip. requires continual maintenance. Someone or some group has to be willing to take care of the equipment & replacement parts do not just grow on trees, or under moose bushes. have further 2's related to the useof the rates, in the area, please

If you have further ?'s related to the useof the rptrs, in the area, please contact any one of the control operators or trustees. Remember we all started out new at one time & any questions is a valid one. If we don't have the information I'm sure we can someone who will have the info for you.

## HAMMING IT UP IN THE KITCHEN

## with NL7DF

I couldn't remember who made the New Mexico Style Popcorn at the Flea Mkt. & I was getting ready to put a "wanted" ad in this newsletter to find out when I received the following letter:

"Dear Bonnie: It appears that my New Mexico Style Popcorn made a bit of a hit at the Flea Market this past weekend. Mary, NL7DM, has asked that I submit the recipe for the newsletter. So be it.

#### NEW MEXICO STYLE POP CORN



- 1 Popcorn
- 1 0il
- 1 Salt
- 1 Pepper
- 1 Arroyo Seco Especial
- 1 Paper Bag
- 1 Fire
- 1 Combine and Shake.



That's it folks!!!! Makes enough good popcorn to serve all that can eat it!"

73's Fred Toliver KL7HM

Harvey Rookus, NL7DK, offers this delicious dessert he got from his sister-in-law.

#### CHOCOLATE ECLAIR DESSERT

- 2 3oz pkgs French Vanilla Inst. Pudding.
- 3 C. milk

Beat according to directions. Add

8 oz. Cool Whip.

Line bottom of 9 x 13" pan with 13-15 whole graham crackers. Pour 1/2 the pudding mix over the crackers. Add another layer of crackers, other 1/2 of pudding and a last layer of crackers.

Melt: 3 T. margarine

- 3 T. milk
- 3 level T. cocoa
- 1 T. oil

Add: 1 1/2 C. powdered sugar.

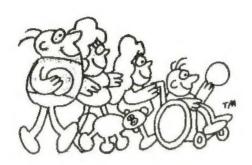
- 2 T. cornstarch
- A drop of vanilla

Beat til smooth. Spread over top layer. Chill thoroughly. Best if chilled overnight. (I tried it and it's great! - Editor.) I'm riding special ed school buses
this yr. as an aide. We had a cookout
last Fri. at the "bus barn" - and a
lady driver brought some beans cooked
by her husband, Dana Collins. They
were the best darned beans I ever ate,
so I called him for the recipe. (I
supplied the name for them!) Dana has
been in the Air Force for 18 years; has
been a licensed chef for 14 years &
has cooked all over the world. He
develops a lot of his own recipes, as
in:

#### DANA'S BUS BARN BEANS

Into a crock pot (slow cooker), fry:
 1/4 # bacon & 2 chopped onions
 Drain grease off then add:

- 3 #2 1/2 cans Pork & Beans
- 1 cup brown sugar
- 1 t. <u>each</u> salt, black pepper, MSG, & cayenne pepper.
- 2 T. <u>each</u> garlic powder, chili powder, Tabasco sauce, liquid smoke, & Worcestershire sauce
- 4 T. prepared mustard
  Best cooked about 8 10 hours!
  Makes a lot but you need a lot because you can't quit eatin' 'em. If
  you think that looks like lots of
  spice. . it is! But they're GREAT!





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### Don't let household current kill you

act of people who wouldn't go within 50 feet of a high voltage power line fearlessly play around with 120 volt household current without giving a thought to whether or not it is dangerous. It is and it can give you a deadly shock.

About 1,000 people are electrocuted every year in the United States, and here is how some of those accidents happen.

 A do-it-yourselfer using a defective electric drill in the basement is electrocuted when he touches a metal laundry

 A woman whose basement was flooded wades in the water to reach her freezer. She is electrocuted when she touches the lid of a shorted electric freezer.  A child dies when he plugs one end of the iron cord into the wall socket and the other one in his mouth.

 Two children die when a radio falls into the bathtub where they are taking a bath.

Actually it is not the number of volts that causes the shock, but the amount of current (amperage) that enters the body, how long the shock lasts and the path which the current follows.

One milliampere passing through the skin causes a tingling sensation. Only 7-10mA can rob you of your muscular control so that you can't let go; 100mA can kill if the shock lasts for one second or longer.

Usually, the current passes through a hand and out of a foot, which may not be too bad. The real danger is when the current passes in one arm, through the chest area and out the other arm. When this occurs, the current can paralyze the

respiratory muscles, causing breathing to stop. Such paralysis may last even after the person is disconnected from the electrical source.

Also, the current can strike the heart, causing fibrillation and resulting in instant electrocution. The heart goes into unsynchronized fluttering, cutting off blood and oxygen circulation to body cells, including the brain.

Because of the way electricity works, low voltages, surprisingly can be more dangerous than high voltages. A heavier jolt can "clamp" the heart and prevent fibrillation. People have been known to recover from comparatively large jolts of electricity while a smaller amount, under certain conditions, can kill.

You can avoid electrical shock by using good electrical equipment, and by using common sense when you are using electricity.

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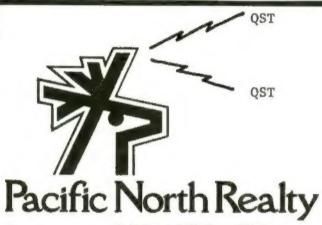


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